



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 5997.0013-03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Paul A. THOMAS et al.)	Group Art Unit: 3694
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Application No.: 10/813,260)	Examiner: Samica L. Norman
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Filed: March 31, 2004)	
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For: RISK-BASED REFERENCE POOL)	Confirmation No.: 5447
CAPITAL REDUCING SYSTEMS)	
AND METHODS)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2007, a response to which is due by April 28, 2008, with a one-month extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.